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**Victor Hugo's Physiognomy.**  
Victor Hugo's face is one that puzzles me. It has two physiognomies. When it is serious—almost gloomy; and not only like a face that has never laughed, but one that can never do so—and his eyes look at people with an expression of inquietude. One feels like saying to him: "Hugo, do me the favor to look the other way!" They are the eyes of a stern judge, or of a duelist stronger than you, who wishes to fascinate you by his glance. At such moments put on him, in thought, a white turban; he becomes an old sheik—replace this with a helmet; he is an old soldier—place on his head a crown, and he is a vindictive and inexorable king. He has something of the austerity of a priest, and the gloom of a magician. He has a lion-like face. When he opens his mouth it seems as if a roar must be heard, and when he raises his strong fist it seems as if he could not let it down without crushing something. At such times one can read on his face the history of all his struggles, sufferings, thence iron-like tenacity of his nature, the gloomy sympathies of his fancy, his convicts, colliers, specters, rages, and hatreds, all of the Omber, or he would say the dark side of his works. But suddenly, as I happened to see that evening, while some one was telling a funny anecdote of one of the cabmen of Paris, he burst out into a laugh so gay and free, showing all his superb white teeth, and in that laugh his eyes and mouth assumed such a youthful and ingenuous expression that one could no longer recognize the original man, and was quite as astonished as if a mask had fallen from his face and presented to his view the true Victor Hugo for the first time.

**A Paper Piano.**  
Among the many recent novelties in the manufacture of musical instruments is a paper piano. It is of French invention, and is an object of great curiosity to the connoisseurs and musical savants of Paris. The entire case is made of compressed paper, of which are given a hard surface and brilliant polish. The keys and sides are ornamented with arabesques and floral ornaments. The color is cream white, and the entire exterior, and as much of the interior as can be seen when the instrument is open, are covered with wreaths and medallions painted in miniature by some of the leading artists of the gay capital. The tone of this instrument is said, by those who have heard it, to be of excellent quality, though not loud. The broken, alternating character of piano music is said to be almost entirely removed, and a rich, full, continuous roll of music, like that of a pipe organ, is obtained. Only two of these instruments have been made. One is still on exhibition; the other has been sold to the duke of Devonshire, and will be placed among the thousand and one curiosities and rarities which adorn his more than regal mansion at Chatsworth.

**New York's Professional Beggars.**  
Professional beggary long years ago made its appearance here, and some of our streets are absolutely offensive with that class of development. Hideous hags salute the passer with hypocritical whines, bogus sailors limp along the highway, armless soldiers who never saw a war turn the hand organ of beggary, keen-witted scoundrels suddenly disclose hideous sores, one-legged boys, children with distorted limbs, maimed and scarred and frightfully mangled bodies, are conspicuously exposed here and there, and the police take no notice whatever. Blind men stand at a hundred corners, and little children almost without number dog the footsteps of the well to do, deceiving, lying, prostrating their better natures in every possible way, that they may snatch from the generous or the careless that which they might much better earn in the channels of honest industry.

**A Georgia Editor at a Raising.**  
We had the pleasure last Thursday of attending a schoolhouse raising. Everything went on as usual at such occasions until nearly 12 o'clock, when suddenly a wagon, accompanied by a number of ladies, appeared on the grounds. The crowd of hands seemed to understand the situation in an instant, and soon a table was prepared and heavily laden with good things, to which we all turned and did ample justice—to the edibles, at least. We left the place that evening thinking how utterly worthless a country would be without women. May the building of schoolhouses and the eating of good dinners continue in the land!

**He Had Touched Upon a Delicate Subject.**  
[Boston Post.]  
Miss Clara—I declare I was never so insulted in my life. Oh, how I hate him!  
Miss Angle—Whom?  
Miss Clara—That young snip of a Dumfries.  
Miss Angle—What has he done?  
Miss Clara—Why, he asked me to dine after-noon if I thought there was much difference between the people at the summer resorts ten years ago and now. Just think, ten years.

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